REGISTER OF CLASSIFICATION DECISIONS

Title of Publication:	Photo 120518443437.jpg
Other Known Title:	C:\Program Files/PhotoDeluxe HE3.1/EZPhoto/ Photo DaphneDad_52.avi
Medium:	Computer Image File
Director/Author:	Not Applicable
Producer/Publisher:	Not Applicable
Country of Origin:	Not Stated
Language:	Not Applicable
Applicant:	Commissioner of Police
Distributor:	Not Applicable
Classification:	Objectionable.
Descriptive Note:	Not Applicable
Display Conditions:	Not Applicable
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Excisions:	Not Applicable

Reasons for excisions:

Not Applicable

Summary of reasons for classification:

The computer image file *Photo 120518443437.jpg* is classified as: Objectionable.

The publication is objectionable because it promotes and supports the exploitation of children for sexual purposes.

The file contains a series of 40 images showing the sexual abuse of a child by an adult. The purpose of the images is to arouse people with a sexual interest in children. The computer image file encourages this sexual interest and promotes the use of children for adult sexual gratification.

The classification of this publication interferes with the freedom of expression as set out in the New Zealand Bill of Rights Act 1990. However, this is an outcome consistent with Parliament's intention that publications which promote and support the exploitation of children for sexual purposes will be deemed objectionable. The classification reflects the concern of a free and democratic society and is a reasonable and demonstrably justified limitation on the freedom of expression.